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ALEXANDRIA, VA. MONDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 15, 1890

PRICE 2 CTS.

MEDICINAL.

ALTERNATIVE.
FOR TUMORS.
Have been cured
from tumors and
other diseases by
the use of the
"A. B. C. Alternative."
It is a safe and
effective remedy.
Sent by mail on receipt
of the price.
A. B. C. Alternative, Richmond, Va.

TONIC.
FOR PALE PEOPLE.
This Tonic
restores the
system from
debility and
disease.
It is a safe and
effective remedy.
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of the price.
A. B. C. Tonic, Richmond, Va.

EXPECTORANT.
FOR COUGHS.
This Expectorant
cures all
coughs and
bronchitis.
It is a safe and
effective remedy.
Sent by mail on receipt
of the price.
A. B. C. Expectorant, Richmond, Va.

BUILDING MATERIAL, &c.
JOHN PERRY, At R. PERRY.
Formerly of Perry, Smoot & Co.
and Jas. Rector Smoot & Perry
PERRY & SON,
LUMBER MERCHANTS,
OFFICE NO. 125 KING ST.,
Alexandria, Virginia.
Dealers in Doors, Sash, Blinds, Mouldings, Ce-
ment, Calcein Plaster, Limes,
Hair, Nails, &c.
Dressed Lumber kept on hand sep5
[ESTABLISHED 68 YEARS]

JOSIAH E. D. SMOOT,
Lumber, Shingles, Laths,
SAILS, LIME, CEMENT, CALCEIN PLASTER,
&c., &c.
MANUFACTURER OF
FLOORING, DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, FRAMES,
Mouldings, PARTS, BRACKETS,
AND ALL KINDS OF WOOD
WORK.
Office and yard No. 21 North Union St. Factory
Nos. 13 and 15 North Lee St., Alexandria, Va.
No charge for delivery in city. Jan29

SMOOT & CO.,
[Successors to J. Rector Smoot & Co.]
Steam Flooring & Planing Mill
Manufacturers of
DOOR and WINDOW FRAMES, MOLDINGS,
&c., &c.
LUMBER, SHINGLES, LATHS, SAILS, LIME,
CALCEIN PLASTER and CEMENT.
NO. 25 NORTH UNION ST.
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.
Lumber delivered in the city free.

BRICKS.
CORBETT & YOHE,
Manufacturers of the best quality of
HAND-MADE BRICK.
RED AND PAVING BRICK A SPE-
CIALTY.
Long experience has fully demonstrated that
hand-made brick are the best for all purposes
where exposed to the weather.
Office corner King and Fairfax streets.
Yards on south Washington street, Alexandria,
Va. Jy19 14

BRICKS! BRICKS!
THE ALEXANDRIA BRICK WORKS,
Situating on Hunting creek, are now prepared to
receive orders and deliver Bricks of all kinds
used in the trade on the shortest notice. Apply to
M. B. HARLOW,
Secretary and Treasurer.

MERCHANT TAILORS.
WM. MURRAY
MERCHANT TAILOR,
517 KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Informs his customers that he has received a
Supply of Fall and Winter Goods,
And is now prepared to furnish
SUITS IN ALL THE LATEST STYLES
and on reasonable terms. sep23 1y

OYSTERS.
JAMES E. McKENNEY & CO.,
Wholesale and Retail
OYSTER DEALERS
NO. 112 FAIRFAX STREET,
(Opposite E. S. Leadbeater & Bro's.)
Alexandria, Va.
Country and city orders solicited and promptly
filled. nov19 14

ANDREW BELLA'S
OYSTER HOUSE,
307 PRINCE STREET
(Opposite the Gazette office).
The best Oysters that come to market always
on hand.
Oysters delivered to all parts of the city. Coun-
try orders solicited and promptly filled. sep12 3m

W. A. SHOOT & CO.,
Coal, Salt and Plaster,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Office—Smoot's Wharf.
Special attention paid to forwarding.
J. F. COOK,
Dealer in
FRESH POULTRY, &c.,
Stalls 4 and 5 City Market.
VEGETABLES AND FRUITS IN SEASON.
nov19 14

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second-class matter.)

A Belle's Negro Mate.
A sorrowful case was witnessed at Cov-
ington, Ky., a day or two ago in the Police
Court, and is causing considerable talk
throughout the city. Ten years ago one of
the prettiest and most popular girls in Cov-
ington was Laura Brennan. This is not the
ordinary newspaper statement, but a fact.
She was accomplished, full of life, and the
favorite at all gatherings. Many of the best
young men in the city sought her for mar-
riage. She visited at some of the best families
in New York, Boston, Chicago and St. Louis.
She had an exquisite voice, and her future
seemed as full of promise as the summer sky.
She was full of sunshine. Suddenly she dis-
appeared. She had gone on a visit, her family
said. After a short time they went away
and all trace of her was lost, and in the pass-
ing years the girl was forgotten, perhaps
even by those who had loved her. Among
the arrests one night last week were half
a dozen men and women, blacks and whites
living together in a rumbled down barrack
in the outskirts of the city. They were a
tough looking set. All were given to drink,
and in the cells the night of the arrest
made the dismal hours hideous with ribald
song, coarse jest and yell. When ar-
ranged in Court one woman kept her face
partially hidden by her ragged shawl.
Presently a name was called, and a burly
creature answered. He called his wife to his
side, and this woman came, her face still
partially covered by the shawl. In answer
to a question the man said his name was
Alexander White, and the woman by his
side was his wife. Then, in the course of
the examination it was developed that the
woman was none other than the once beau-
tiful and accomplished Laura Brennan. No
one would have known the bloated face and
sadden form. The examination resulted in
a fine, which she could not pay, and she
went to jail. An effort is being made by
charitable people to get her out and place
her in a charitable institution.

THE MEDICAL FRATERNITY ASTONISHED.
—An old Swedish woman, by name Marie
Johnson, living to the outskirts of Lapeer,
Mich., gave birth recently to her first child,
after having been married thirty-eight
years without offspring. The woman claims
that she is sixty years old, and looks every
day of that age. The physician called in
at the announcement refused to believe
that she could become a mother, and it
was not until he saw the child that he could
credit it. The baby, which is a boy, weighed
only three pounds when it was born, and
had the appearance of an old person, with
shrivelled features and the stiffened joints of
the aged, but otherwise seems a healthy,
commonplace child. The mother having,
of course, no nourishment for it, it is being
brought up on the bottle. The father is
much mortified at the occurrence, and
views the child as a monster. He is
some years younger than his wife, whose
statement in regard to her age he corrobor-
ates. The woman says she, herself, was
born when her mother was fifty-two, and
that her grandmother, living near Link-
oping, Sweden, gave birth to twins at the
age of sixty-three, when people came for a
hundred miles to see them. Dr. Anderson,
of Lapeer, who was born in Stockholm, says
he recollects hearing, when a boy, of the
latter occurrence. Mrs. Johnson is doing
well, and is delighted with her baby, which
was baptized by the priest, receiving the
name of Isaac Jan. The physicians de-
clare that the case has never had but two
precedents in the annals of the profession.

CURIOUS EFFECT OF SOAP ON A CROW.
Penny, a tame crow on farmer James A.
Leason's place in Poccon township, Pa., is
growing a lot of new feathers, and the most
of them are coming in white. One morn-
ing six or seven weeks ago Mrs. Leason
heard the crow cawing out in the back
yard. It was a noise altogether unlike
Penny's usual cheerful note, and Mrs. Lea-
son ran out to see what the matter was.
She found Penny up to his eyes in a big
kettle of suds, so that she had made the
day before. She dashed the unfortunate
bird out, and her son Nelson took Penny
down to the brook and gave him once glassy
plunge. The crow was powerfully strong
and swam the roots of Penny's pretty
feathers in short order. Lots of them fell
out in a day or so, and the crow was clad
only in patches. He moved silently around
the yard while his new pinfeathers were
growing, and when he saw that he was
feathering out in white suits he showed an
inclination to pluck out the new crop with
his bill. But he gave that up after a little,
and his garb contains black and white
feathers in about equal proportions.

Buckley's Arnica Salve
The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises,
Sore, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter,
Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin
Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay
required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satis-
faction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per
box. For sale by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.

For Over Fifty Years.
AN OLD AND WELL-TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs.
Winlow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over
FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS of MOTHERS for their
CHILDREN WHILE TEETHING, WITH PERFECT
SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES THE CHILD, SOFTENS THE
GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN; CURES Wind Colic and
is the best remedy for DIARRHEA. Sold by Drugg-
ists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask
for Mrs. Winlow's SOOTHING SYRUP, and take
no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

ROYAL ADDERLY, CUT GLASS, DOULTON
R. and RUCOLDSTADT make beautiful holiday
gifts. For sale very low at
dec10 **E. J. MILLER & SON'S.**
BEAR LITHIA WATER
at 25c per gallon at
sep2 **J. D. H. LUNT'S.**

MEDICINAL.

DR. J. C. BULL'S
COUGH
SYRUP
SALVATION OIL
(Price only 25 cents. Sold by all druggists.)
Relieves quickly Rheumatism, Neu-
ralgia, Swellings, Sprains, Lumbago,
Sprains, Headache, Toothache, Cuts,
Burns, Scalds, Sores, Backache, &c.
SHEPHERD'S BLOCK, The Great Tobacco Al-
ley, between 10th and 11th Sts. All druggists.

PROPOSALS.
SEALED PROPOSALS will be received for the
purchase of all the property of the ALEXAN-
DRIA GENTLEMEN'S DRIVING CLUB, situated
in Alexandria county, Virginia, including the
grand stand, buildings, fences, stables, and track
of the company, and the unexpired term of
its lease of the land upon which its property is
situated, by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock
noon on the 17th day of December, 1890, at 505
King street, Alexandria, Va. All proposals should
be addressed to B. B. SMITH, Secretary and Treas-
urer A. G. C. Club, and will be opened at the time
mentioned. The right to reject any and all bids
is reserved. Terms of Sale: Cash.
THE ALEX. GENTLEMEN'S DRIVING CLUB.
dec6 15

FOR SALE AND RENT.
VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.
ONE T. ACT OF LAND, 446 acres, 2 1/2 miles
from Alexandria on the Mount Vernon road,
the survey of the Mount Vernon Avenue passing
through the place. This property is well calcu-
lated for gardening and dairy purposes, being well
watered, and has a frontage on the Potomac River
of 2 miles; also unsurpassed scenery overlooking
both the cities of Alexandria and Washington.
Persons seeking investments will find it to their
advantage to examine this land.
24 1/2 ACRES and another of 52 1/2 ACRES,
about 4 miles from the city, not far from the above
described property.
Perhaps there is no land on the market at this
time offering greater advantages to seekers of
profit than the above named property. For de-
scription and terms apply to
Miss KATE M. G. JOHNSON
514 Cameron street
Or to GERALD & LUNT, Real Estate Brokers,
No. 103 Fairfax st., bet. Cameron and King,
and 27 T. & S. H.

HOUSE 216 south Washington street, and
HOUSE 924 Duke street. Apply to
dec27 14 **JOHN T. NALLS, 820 King st.**

GRAYON PORTRAITS
AND
FINE CABINET PHOTOGRAPHS
FOR THE HOLIDAYS.
AT
NARAMORE'S STUDIO.

The increase in our orders and entire satisfac-
tion given in the past seems to guarantee us in
giving the one who wish a FINE PORTRAIT at a
very low figure to give us an early call to avert
the rush for HOLIDAY PICTURES. There is
nothing more appropriate or acceptable for a hol-
iday gift than a GRAYON PORTRAIT in one of
our ELABORATE FRAMES.
With each dozen Cabinet Photographs we give an
extra picture for framing.
D. H. NARAMORE,
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JOHN M. BARRETT,
218 N. ST. ASAPH ST., ALEXANDRIA,
REPRESENTING
A. P. McElroy's Art Store,
1003 Pa. av., Washington, D. C.,
Will furnish estimates for PICTURE FRAMES,
in Gold, Silver, White and Gold, Ivory and all
kinds of Hard Woods. Constantly on hand EN-
GRAVINGS, ETCHINGS, WATER COLOURS and
PHOTOGRAPHS. REGALDING OLD FRAMES
a specialty. ART NOVELTIES, suitable for wed-
ding and holiday presents. To accommodate those
desiring to go to Washington, orders can be left
at 218 N. St. Asaph street any evening after six
o'clock. All communications will receive prompt
attention. sep2 4m

HERDIC LINE.
We are now running a LINE OF HERDICS on
King street between the ferry slip and the depot,
calling at the hotels. Fare 5 cents.
A smaller Herdic will convey passengers from
residences, upon order, to any part of the city
Fare 10 cents.
dec9 2w **PATTERSON & BROTHER.**

PAINTS.—Six tons Lewis' Pure White Lead,
Lined Oil, Boiled Linseed Oil, Cheap Paint Oil,
Varnishes of all kinds, Window Glass, Putty,
"Tinted Glass" and "Metropolitan" Ready-mixed
Paints in one and five gallon cans; also a large
stock of Prime Quality Ready-mixed Paints in 1
and 2 pound cans. AN IMMENSE STOCK and at
LOWEST PRICES. We will be pleased to fur-
nish quotations at any time.
oct18 **E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.**

1000 BBL NO. 1 FAMILY ROE,
NET ROE, NO. 1 and NO. 1 NET
POTOMAC HEERING,
Our own pack. Keeping quality guaranteed for six
months after sale.
jy10 **CHAS. KING & SON.**

FARMERS' READ
X. O. DUST!
THE NEW AND GREAT DISCOVERY,
X. O. DUST!
For the relief from the Texas or Buffalo Fly on
Cattle, just received and for sale by
sep9 **W. F. CRIGHTON & CO.**

MINERAL WATERS.—10 dozen Bedford Wa-
ter just received; 10 cases Buffalo Lithia.
We keep constantly in stock a full supply of
Bromine and Arsenic, Coccol, Rockbridge Alum,
Hungary János, Frederickshall and all other well-
known mineral waters.
mrs **E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.**

ONE CARLOAD
CALIFORNIA RAISINS
For sale at New York prices.
dec5 **CHARLES KING & SON.**

MOORE BROS. GENERAL COW DRINK!
For garget, maw bound, bloating and fever,
Milk fever and abortion preventive. Just received
and for sale by
feb28 **W. F. CRIGHTON & CO.**

FANCY GROCERIES.

10 CASES
CANTON GINGER
POTS HALVES AND QUARTERS.
For sale low by
G. WM. RAMSAY.

FANCY
Florida Oranges
AND
MALAGA GRAPES.
G. WM. RAMSAY.

Extra Quality
Lemon and Orange Peel
AND
SWEET CIDER.
G. WM. RAMSAY.

ATMORE'S
MINCE MEAT
AND
R. & R.

PLUM PUDDINGS.
G. WM. RAMSAY.
700 LBS
NICE SOFT FIGS
G. WM. RAMSAY.

NEW CROP
Raisins, Currants,
Citron, Nuts.
G. WM. RAMSAY.
CONFECTIONERS.

D. HARRY APPICH
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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
Confectioner and Fruit Dealer,
525 KING STREET,
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

FINE FRENCH CANDIES AND FANCY
CAKES
A SPECIALTY.
jan9 14

B. B. SMITH,
505 KING STREET,
MANUFACTURER OF
FINE CIGARS
And Dealer in all kinds of
SMOKING AND CHEWING TOBACCO.

SMOKERS' ARTICLES A SPECIALTY.
Notwithstanding the high tariff on imported
tobacco, I am still selling
SMITH'S CHOICE CLEAR HAVANA
CIGAR FOR 6c.
The best on the market—equal to imported. If
you want a good smoke try one. For sale by all
dealers.
B. B. SMITH, manufacturer of the FAMOUS
ROSE CIGAR. oct27

CERES
Best in the World
Minnesota Patent
Use CERES, the Celebrated Minnesota
Patent Process Flour. It is the best in
the world.
G. WM. RAMSAY,
Sole Agent for Alexandria,
nov6

SOLID GOLD RINGS (loveknots) at 50c,
SOLID SILVER RINGS (loveknots) at 25c at
HENRY WILDT'S,
318 King street.

Underwear, Notions, Dry Goods,
&c., &c.,
Arriving Daily,
AND SOLD AT LOWEST PRICES
AT
AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S,
429 KING STREET,
Alexandria, Virginia.
sep13

EVAPORATED APRICOTS, new, just received
by
sep10 **J. C. MILBURN.**

HOLIDAY GOODS.

CHRISTMAS 1890
We have just received and placed on exhibition
a most beautiful and elaborate assortment of arti-
cles suitable for
HOLIDAY PRESENTS.
Below we make mention of a few to assist you in
making a selection.
PLUSH ALBUMS,
PLUSH WORK BOXES,
SHAVING SETS,
MANICURE SETS,
WRITING DESKS,
GLOVE and HANDK. CASES,
WHISK HOLDERS,
LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS,
SILK HANDKERCHIEFS,
SILK MUFFLERS,
GLOVES,
NAPKINS,
TABLE CLOTHS and
NAPKINS to match,
SILK TIES,
UMBRELLAS,
MUFFS, CAPES, etc.
All of the above in large variety.
To reduce our stock of MERCHANT TAILORING
we will make suits to measure
AT COST.

Isaac Eichberg,
COR. KING AND ROYAL STS.
REAL ESTATE AGENTS.
JOHN G. HERNDON, **R. KEMPER,**
Attorney at Law and
Notary Public.
HERNDON & KEMPER,
Real Estate Agents,
NO. 216-218 King street, Alexandria, Va.
Real estate bought and sold on commission. City
lots a specialty. Farms for sale. Pay taxes, col-
lect rents and furnish abstracts of titles. Corre-
spondence solicited. nov22 3m

O'NEAL & LUNT,
CORNER KING AND FAIRFAX STREETS.
House and Lot No. 113 Columbus street, be-
tween King and Prince; 9 rooms, 39 feet 9 inches
front by 90 feet deep. Price \$2,500.
Houses Nos. 427 and 429 Columbus street; in
perfect order, built only one year; 6 rooms, bath
room, china closet, new latrine stoves in parlors,
all modern conveniences.
Large Brick, 9 rooms, all in good order, splen-
did location, large yard attached.
Fine 3-story Brick, 9 rooms, on Prince street
near Washington; 2-story brick back building, all
in perfect order, with modern conveniences.
2-story Brick House on Columbus st., between
King and Prince; 7 rooms in perfect order.
22 acres of Land at Falls Church.
7 acres of Land at West End of Falls Church,
about 100 yards from station. Will trade for
Alexandria business property.
Store and Dwelling at the corner of St. Asaph
and Gibson streets; stable and fruit. This is a
good stand for business.
Fine new 2 story and attic cottage style of
Dwelling at the N. W. cor. Washington and Pen-
dleton streets. This property is first-class and in
a rapidly improving part of the city. Lot 60 feet
front by 80 feet deep.
2 Houses on Payne street, between King and
Cameron; one of 6 rooms, and the other 7 rooms;
water and gas pipes in house.
Nice Brick House, with large side lot, on Fair-
fax street, between Cameron and Queen; 9 rooms,
modern improvements.
Large House and Lot on Franklin street; lot
90 feet front by 150 feet deep; splendid location
for garden.
House and Store on Franklin street; good loca-
tion for business.
6 Houses on Henry street, near Cameron.
1 House and Lot on Prince street, between
Alfred and Patrick.
Fine Dwelling, suitable for a boarding house or
hotel, on Royal street, between King and Prince.
2 lots on Columbus street, between Madison
and First.
3 Houses in West End; 150 feet front by 200
feet deep. jy28

FANCY GOODS, NOTIONS, &c.
OR
Underwear, Notions, Dry Goods,
&c., &c.,
Arriving Daily,
AND SOLD AT LOWEST PRICES
AT
AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S,
429 KING STREET,
Alexandria, Virginia.
sep13

EVAPORATED APRICOTS, new, just received
by
sep10 **J. C. MILBURN.**

CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES.
We have received during the past week a
well selected assortment of goods in China,
Bisque, Carved, Wood, and other materials,
and Rich Cut Glass, also a beautiful line of Brass
Lamp Goods, including Parlor, Library, Banquet,
and Piano Lamps, fitted with the "Celebrated
Rochester Burners." We have marked all at very
low figures, and feel confident that the same goods
cannot be bought for less. We would be pleased
to have you call, get our prices and examine these
goods before you purchase your Christmas Gifts,
and we shall take pleasure in showing our stock.
Please call to see us.
dec10 **E. J. MILLER & SON.**

READY FOR CHRISTMAS!
L. SHUMAN,
CORNER KING AND PITT STREETS,
Announces that he is prepared to meet the wants
of the Christmas and Holiday trade. His stock of
Cakes, Black, Plain and other kinds, is large, and
his supply of Confectionery, Nuts, &c., unexcelled.
Now is the time to leave orders.
dec6 2w

R. C. ACTON & SON
Wish to say to Alexandrians that as competition
grows stronger day by day between the cities of
Alexandria and Washington it necessitates meet-
ing the demands of our people in their luxurious
wants. In order to supply your
Christmas Wants
We will from now till the first of January sell our
stock of DIAMONDS, WATCHES, JEWELRY,
SILVERWARE, Clocks, Bronzes, Table Lamps,
Imported Pottery, etc., at prices lower than they
can be bought in the city of Washington.
We invite you to inspect our stock and compare
prices, feeling confident our offer will be appre-
ciated by the citizens of this city.
We are very respectfully,
R. C. ACTON & SON,
Jewellers and Silversmiths,
606 King street, Alexandria, Va.
dec6

HENRY WILDT,
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN,
318 KING STREET,
Alexandria, Virginia.
A fine assortment of WATCHES, JEWELRY,
SILVER and PLATED WARE, CLOCKS, SPEC-
TACLES and EYE GLASSES.
New and elegant goods suitable for CHRIST-
MAS PRESENTS.
dec14

**BUY THE BEST—THE BEST IS THE CHEAP-
EST.**
Just received at 325 King, on the corner of
Royal street:
Amey's 30 1/2 Steel Scoops.
Wright's
Wooden Snow Shovels.
All of which will be sold at low prices.
On hand: Sleigh Baskets, Banners and Balls,
Skates and other goods pertaining to the season at
lowest prices. Call and examine.
dec10 **J. T. CRIGHTON & SON.**

Underwear, Notions, Dry Goods,
&c., &c.,
Arriving Daily,
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HOLIDAY GOODS.

CHRISTMAS GOODS
F. PAFF & SON,
423 KING STREET,
Have in stock a fine line of GENTS' MAROON,
KUSSET and EMBROIDERED SLIPPERS in
GOAT, ALLIGATOR and VELVET.
LADIES' OCZE, CALF and SUADE, in differ-
ent styles and shades, for dress.
Also a full line of HOUSE SLIPPERS.
A large stock of RUBBER BOOTS and SHOES
also on hand.
Call and examine our stock.
From now till after the Christmas holidays
our store will be kept open till nine o'clock each
night.
dec12 1m

HOLIDAY TRADE.
Layer Raisins,
Valencia Raisins,
New Currants,
Mixed Nuts,
Now Citron,
Cox's Gelatine,
Nelson's Gelatine,
Chamber's Gelatine,
Dried Sugar Corn,
Italian Macaroni,
Attmore's Mince Meat,
Fancy New Orleans Molasses,
Sweet Cider,
French and American Sardines,
Cooking Brandy,
French Brandy,
Cooking Wine, very old Sherry,
Scotch Whisky and Pure Old Rye,
Jamaica and St. Croix Rum,
Purest New England Rum,
Bass & Co's Ale,
Guinness Stout,
Porter's Export Beer,
Mum & Co's Extra Dry Champagne,
Ackon's Fat Meat and Boiled Ome,
Hacker's self-raising Buckwheat, Olive Oil,
Mixed Pickles, Sweet Pickles and Canned Goods.
All at Lowest Prices.
W. A. JOHNSON & CO.,
Corner Royal and Cameron sts.
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DYSON'S LITTLE STORE.
HOLIDAY GOODS.
THE LARGEST LINE OF BOOKS,
CHRISTMAS CARDS and BOOKLETS,
GAMES and TOYS.
STATIONERY, ALL PRICES.
We are crowded with goods suitable for Xmas
presents, and they will be sold at the lowest prices.
Come and look at what we have, and if you do not
see the article wanted ask for it and we will try
and find it for you.
dec10 2w **S. F. DYSON, 608 King st.**

CHRISTMAS GOODS.
ATMORE'S MINCE MEAT, in half barrels and
buckets.
12 buckets PRESERVED QUINCES, PEACHES
PLUMS and STRAWBERRIES.
HOME-MADE CHOPPED PICKLE by the
quart or gallon.
CALIFORNIA and LONDON LAYER RAIS-
INS, whole, half and quarter boxes. Valencia,
Muscadel and Sultan Raisins.
GENUINE GENOVA CITRON.
FLORIDA and JAMAICA ORANGES, LEM-
ONS and CRANBERRIES.
A full assortment of whole and pure ground
SPICES.
dec10 3w **A. C. HARMON & CO.**

CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES.
We have received during the past week a
well selected assortment of goods in China,
Bisque, Carved, Wood, and other materials,
and Rich Cut Glass, also a beautiful line of Brass
Lamp Goods, including Parlor, Library, Banquet,
and Piano Lamps, fitted with the "Celebrated
Rochester Burners." We have marked all at very
low figures, and feel confident that the same goods
cannot be bought for less. We would be pleased
to have you call, get our prices and examine these
goods before you purchase your Christmas Gifts,
and we shall take pleasure in showing our stock.
Please call to see us.
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L. SHUMAN,
CORNER KING AND PITT STREETS,
Announces that he is prepared to meet the wants
of the Christmas and Holiday trade. His stock of
Cakes, Black, Plain and other kinds, is large, and
his supply of Confectionery, Nuts, &c., unexcelled.
Now is the time to leave orders.
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Wish to say to Alexandrians that as competition
grows stronger day by day between the cities of
Alexandria and Washington it necessitates meet-
ing the demands of our people in their luxurious
wants. In order to supply your
Christmas Wants
We will from now till the first of January sell our
stock of DIAMONDS, WATCHES, JEWELRY,
SILVERWARE, Clocks, Bronzes, Table Lamps,
Imported Pottery, etc., at prices lower than they
can be bought in the city of Washington.
We invite you to inspect our stock and compare
prices, feeling confident our offer will be appre-
ciated by the citizens of this city.
We are very respectfully,
R. C. ACTON & SON,
Jewellers and Silversmiths,
606 King street, Alexandria, Va.
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JEWELER AND OPTICIAN,
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A fine assortment of WATCHES, JEWELRY,
SILVER and PLATED WARE, CLOCKS, SPEC-
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New and elegant goods suitable for CHRIST-
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